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DECLARATION OF TIMUR M. MOMOL UNDER 37 CFR 1.132

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Sir:

I, Timur M. Momol, hereby declare:

THAT, I am a co-inventor of the subject matter claimed in U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/925,336;

THAT, I am a co-author on the following publication:

M.T. Momol, D.J. Mitchell, P. A. Rayside, S.M. Olson and E.A. Momol. (APS Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, August 12-16, 2000) "Plant essential Oils as potential bio-furnigants for the management of soilborne pathogens of tomato" *Phytopathology* 90(6) (Supplement):S127, Publication no. P-2000-0018-SOA.

And, being thus duly qualified, do further declare as follows:

In the course of our research on methods for controlling plant pathogens, we have been assisted to varying degrees by several people, including Ms. Patricia Rayside. Ms. Rayside was included as a co-author on the above-referenced abstract (hereinafter referred to as Momol et al. (2000)). Although the efforts of Ms. Rayside were greatly appreciated and, accordingly, she was acknowledged as a co-author on the Momol et al. (2000) abstract, she did not contribute to the conception of the claimed invention. Therefore, despite her helpful assistance and input, Ms. Rayside could not be listed as a co-inventor on the subject application.

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The undersigned declare further that all statements made herein of his or her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or of any patent issuing thereon.

Further declarant sayeth naught.

Signed:

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